

January 13, 2011

The Streets Department reports the Brine application late yesterday worked very well. We had very few slick spots. Two salt trucks were dispatched overnight and salted several locations around the City. Streets estimates they used only 15 tons of salt. Thanks to all the guys and gals for staying on top of this and to our Police Department for keeping them informed of hazardous areas.

The **Franklin Fire Department** announced department promotions last week. Congratulations to new Fire Inspector Jonathan Dye from his former position as an Engineer. Lt. Jonathan Jenkins was promoted to the rank of captain and will be working in the Training division. **Tyler Crews**, **Perry Phillips** and **Steve Raymer** have been promoted to the rank of lieutenant, where they will be responsible for assisting captains in supervising and directing station personnel. Read more here http://www.franklintn.gov/index.aspx?recordid=1223&page=25



Fire Inspector Jonathan Dye



Captain Jonathan Jenkins



Lt. Tyler Crews



Lt. Perry Phillips



Lt. Steve Raymer

The **Franklin Police Department K9** Unit honored the service of two retiring canines: **Sting**, assigned to Sgt. Aaron Compton, and Titan, assigned to Ofc. Charlie Richards. Both award-



winning German Shepherds have served Franklin residents since 2004. Three new dogs will officially begin their service on Franklin streets tomorrow: Thor (assigned to Sgt. Aaron Compton), Jager (assigned to Ofc. Charlie Richards), and Bolo (assigned to Officer **Chris Hollingsworth)** graduated from their 20-week training class December 22. Bolo was the name chosen for one of the new dogs by Franklin Special School District Students last May. Read more here

http://www.franklintn.gov/index.aspx?recordid=1233&page=25

The **Franklin Police Department** is asking for public input on performance. Citizens can fill out a quick citizen satisfaction survey online. The department is doing the survey in an effort to provide customers with the best possible service.

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The **Youth Leadership Class of 2012** got a civics lesson from the City of Franklin this week. About 20 juniors and a few sophomores from Franklin area high schools toured many City departments. Thank you to all the departments who participated. *Below is a photo of the class at Fire Station 1, on Hwy* 96.



Angela Jackson in administration is the winner

for the Mayor's parking spot next week. Mayor Ken Mayor nominated Angela. He said, "I wish to nominate Angela Jackson for the Mayor's parking spot. A citizen came by to see me while I was gone. When I returned, they wanted to let me know they were impressed with her kindness, helpfulness, and effort to go above and beyond. What a great example of customer service." Angela can begin parking in the Mayor's spot on Monday, January 16. Surely you have seen SOMEONE going above and beyond at work. If you have, nominate them at agoodjob@franklintn.gov.

Monday is Martin Luther King Day and a City Holiday. Enjoy the day off, we'll see you Tuesday!

I will leave you this week with a quote from Martin Luther King, Jr.:

"Every man must decide whether he will walk in the light of creative altruism or in the darkness of destructive selfishness

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